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SUBJ: POSSIBLE SWISS RATIFICATION OF THE NPT

REF: A) IAEA VIENNA 7675; B) BERN 5159 C) BERN 4069

1. THE DEBATE ON THE UNCLEAR NON-PROLIFERATION TREATY (NPT) WILL BEGIN IN THE LOWER HOUSE OF THE SWISS PARLIAMENT DEC 13. IN THE MEANTIME ANTON KELLER HAS MOUNTED ANOTHER MAJOR EFFORT TO PREVENT RATIFICATION. HE DISTRIBUTED PAMPHLETS IN OPPOSITION TO THE TREATY TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE LOWER HOUSE AND TO THE FEDERAL COUNCIL THIS MORNING; DEC 10.

2. WE HAVE DISCUSSED PROSPECTS FOR THE TREATY WITH HERBERT VON ARX, POLITICAL DEPT. WHILE NOT OVERLY CONCERNED ABOUT THE EFFECT OF THE PAMPHLET ON THE OUTCOME OF THE DEBATE, VON ARX EXPRESSED VERY GREAT CONCERN ABOUT POSSIBILITY KELLER HAS THE FULL TEXT OF THE AGREEMENT OF THE CLUB OF LONDON. HE SAID THAT THE PAMPHLET CONTAINS DIRECT QUOTATIONS FROM THE AGREEMENT AND WAS AT PAINS TO ASSURE US THAT IF KELLER DOES HAVE THE TEXT OR A PART OF IT, CONFIDENTIAL

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HE DID NOT OBTAIN IT FROM THE SWISS. WE SAID WE

WOULD PASS ON THAT ASSURANCE TO THE DEPT.
VON ARX EXPECTS THAT THE PRESS WILL BE FULL OF THIS ISSUE
AND KELLERS PAMPHLET OVER THE WEEKEND. WE WILL REPORT
FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS.
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